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SUBJECT: COCOM LIST REVIEW - IL 1203 - ELECTRIC VACUUM

USSR. US EXPERT CITED THE USES OF THE FURNACES INVOLVED AND SOVIET INTEREST IN PURCHASING US VACUUM ARC AND SKULL FURNACE TECHNOLOGY IN DEFENSE OF EMBARGO FOR WHICH ALL OTHER DELS HAD APPROVED DELETION.

2. JAPANESE RECORDED EVIDENCE OF SOVIET CAPABILITY IN (A) BUT HAD NO SPECIFIC EVIDENCE TO OFFER RE THE PRC OR ON (B). THEY BELIEVED (B) COULD BE DELETED ON THE BASIS OF BLOC CAPABILITY IN ELECTRON BEAM FURNACES WHICH THEY CONSIDERED TO BE OF A HIGHER ORDER OF TECHNOLOGY THAN EITHER (A) OR (B). THEIR ANALYSTS ALSO EQUATED TITANIUM SHAPE CASTING EQUIPMENT TECHNOLOGY WITH THAT FOR SKULL TYPE ARC FURNACES.

3. WITH US OBJECTIONS THE ITEM WAS CLOSED. DELETION OF SUBITEMS (C) AND (D), AGREED IN ROUND I STANDS.
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